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MANUFACTURE OF CONCRETE PIPES

Commissioner for Patents

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on December 12, 2008, the applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-8 for prosecution in the above identified application. Claims 9-15 are withdrawn but subject to rejoinder. A complete claim listing follows: